

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Letters Patent of:
Erik Berends

Patent No.: 7,246,625

Issued: July 24, 2007

For: DISHWASHER

**PETITION UNDER CFR 1.183 AND REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF
CORRECTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322**

ATTENTION: OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Attention: Certificate of Correction Branch

Dear Sir:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted errors which should be corrected.

The Assignee's name and address has been corrected from Carl Miele & Cie. GmbH. & Co., Carl-Miele-Strasse 29, D-33325 Guetersloh, (DE) to Miele & Cie. KG, Carl-Miele-Strasse 29, 33332 Guetersloh, (DE).

Additionally, Inventor ERIK EKELHOFF has changed his last name from EKELHOFF to BERENDS due to marriage.

Please update the records at the USPTO to reflect the inventor's correct name and address.

Patentee respectfully requests that the Commissioner waive the requirements of 37 CFR 3.81 to permit the correct name and address of the assignee to be provided after issuance of the patent.

Enclosed are:

- (1) A copy of the Patent Assignment from EPAS showing that the assignment was recorded on September 12, 2007;
- (2) A statement concerning a change of name and address of the Inventor, Erik Berends;
- (3) The fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(h) \$130.00;
- (4) The petition Fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(a) \$100.00; and
- (5) A copy of form PTO/SB/44.

Please update all records at the USPTO to reflect these changes. Please charge our Credit Card in the amount of \$230.00 for this filing. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency of up to \$300.00 or credit any excess in this fee to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

Patentee respectfully requests that the petition be granted and that a Certificate of Correction be issued.

Dated: November 20, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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IN CONSIDERATION of the sum of one dollar (\$1.00) to me in hand paid, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

I, Erik Ekelhoff

being the sole inventor of a certain invention for an

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as fully set forth and described in the application executed by me on this 8th day of October 2001, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor, being the owner of all right, title and interest in and to said application and in and to the invention described therein, free from all prior assignments, agreements, licenses, mortgages, or other encumbrances whatsoever, and having full right to convey the entire interest, both legal and equitable, herein assigned, do hereby sell, transfer, and set over unto

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this day of *10, 08*, 2001. (8 October 2001)

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STATEMENT CONCERNING A CHANGE OF NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE
INVENTOR, ERIK BERENDS

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Dear Sir:

I, ERIK BERENDS, the inventor of U.S. Patent No. 7,246,625, issued July 24, 2007, hereby confirm that my last name has changed from "EKELHOFF" to "BERENDS" due to my marriage, which occurred on September 13, 2003 in Emlichheim, Germany. Therefore, my correct and present last name is "BERENDS".

Additionaly, my current address is:

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